City of Du-

CHAPTER 112.

AN ACT releasing and granting to the city of Dubuque title to cer-H. F. 329. tain lands.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That there be and is hereby granted and buque to have released to the city of Dubuque all the right, title, and shore of Lake interest vested in the state of Iowa in and to the lands, islands, and in the beds of lakes, sloughs, and ponds of water within so much of sections seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in township eighty nine (89) north, of range three (3) east of the 5th principal meridian as lies east of a line commencing at a point where the south line of said section eighteen (18) intersects with the west meandered line of the west shore of Lake Peosta, thence northerly along the meandered line of the west shore of said lake to the north line of said section eighteen (18) as shown by and in accordance with the survey made and recorded by the government of the United States, provided, however, nothing in this act shall affect the rights of private individuals holding title from the general government or from this state.

> Sec. 2. This act shall in no manner limiter impair the jurisdiction of the state of Iowa upon or over the lands and territory hereby granted and released.

Approved Apr. 4 1896.

CHAPTER 113.

AN ACT to relieve the Asylum for Destitute and Orphaned Children S. F. 39. at Andrew, Iowa, from its indebtedness to the State.

> WHEREAS, The Fourteenth General Assembly of the State of Iowa did pass an act loaning to the Asylum for Destitute and Orphaned Children, located at Andrew, Jackson county, Iowa, an incorporation for charitable purposes, the sum of five thousand dollars without interest: and

> WHEREAS, Said institution has done and is doing great good in furnishing homes to destitute and orphaned children of the state, and at the present time has fifty-six inmates coming from fifteen counties of the state, where they are maintained without expense to the public or the state: therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the loan from the State of Iowa to the Asylum for Destitute and Orphaned Children at